

## Fwd: Rockledge Cell Tower

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To: <villageclerk@nelsonvilleny.gov>

Dear Mayor and Trustees,

As always, I thank you for the work you are doing on behalf of our Village. Your transparency and honesty while dealing with the public is noticed and appreciated.

I am hoping that you will NOT vote to accept the settlement with Homeland Towers.

Our part of the Hudson Valley was designated a Scenic Area of Statewide Significance through a major effort by residents who cared about preserving the original scenic qualities of this piece of America. The history here runs deep and we owe it to them to keep fighting. We are also lucky to have neighbors and friends who are willing to contribute their time and money to help with this fight. \$30,000 was raised quickly and if given the chance I believe donations from the Community could fund the entire fight.

The FCC ruling from 2018 appears to be under very serious attack and may, in fact, be overturned. If we can continue to delay the decision it may very well turn in our favor. We could also push this to the point where it becomes unprofitable for the Tower company to continue to pursue it.

If nothing else voting against this gives us time to support the Villella's in their private property case, inform more neighbors of the effort here and to raise more money for the defense.

Thank you again for the time and care you are giving this decision.

Best Regards,

Dave McCarthy Main St. Nelsonville

--Mindy Jesek Village Clerk / Treasurer